

WAR CLOUDS HOVER OVER NEAR EAST

Ministers Meet Prince.
SOFIA, October 4.—The latest communication from the Bulgarian government to Turkey is a flat refusal to surrender the Oriental Railway; the principality declines to deal with the key in the matter, according to current reports.

The greatest excitement pervades the people, and yesterday all the ministers left for Rustchuk, on the Danube, where they will meet Prince Ferdinand, who is returning from abroad.